

June 10, 2003 KBRC Meeting Summary

Members present: Chairman Tom Floro, Stephen Conn, Vice-Chairman, , Bryan W. Tudor, Janet Vogt, and Sister Dorothy Jackson, SCN. **KBRC Staff:** Peggy Lacy Moore, Board Administrator, Rick L. Rose, Administrative Assistant

Others Present: Cheryl Lalonde-Mooney, Legal Counsel, AAG and James L. Jones, President, KY Society of Respiratory Care

(If you would like additional meeting minutes, please make an Open Records Request to the KBRC Board.)

Chairman Tom Floro called the meeting to order at 9:25 a.m., in the Conference Room at the Manor House at FoxHollow, in Crestwood, Kentucky.

Continuing Educational: Ms. Lalonde-Mooney had worked with Ms. Vogt on amending 201 KAR 29:050, and presented the recommendations to the Board along with the updated renewal form. The changes were requested to advise practitioners to list their five carry over CEU submissions during their renewal period.

Chairman Floro reviewed information gathered on the Polysomnographic Techs at the KBRC Retreat. He stated we had good dialogue with Executive Director Kathryn Hansen-Kubley, and James C. Graham, Treasurer of the Kentucky Sleep Society, as well as all invited participants at the Retreat on July 9, regarding the possibility of a limited licensure for Polysomnographic Techs.

Chairman Floro stated it appeared the KY Sleep Society are interested in some sort of co-existence with the KBRC Board. Chairman Floro will follow-up with Ms. Hansen-Kubley and await a report from James L. Jones, President of the KSRC after their next meeting.

Chairman Floro said he felt from the discussion at the retreat regarding DME Companies, and at this point, there was really nothing the Board needed to do in regard to DME Companies, other than to continue to monitor people out in the state doing things they should not be doing.

Ms. Vogt and Mr. Conn will be working on an Opinion Statement regarding the scope of practice in regard to DME Companies. They will pull together a mailing list and a copy of the Opinion Statement, which will be mailed to the DME Companies.

Ms. Vogt and Ms. Moore will represent the KBRC at the National Board of Respiratory Care Annual Licensure meeting in Kansas City, MO on September 19-20.

The next special KBRC meeting will be held on August 22, and the Board will meet on Tuesday, October 28, 2003 in the Lexington, KY offices.